IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 169, 183, 185, 194, 251-258, 260-261, and 263 as follows:

--169. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 168

wherein said at least one machine recognizable feature has associated therewith a data link which is recognized by said feature recognition unit.

183. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 179

wherein said "information superhighway" data link comprises an integrated services digital network ("ISDN")—network.

185. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 179

wherein said "information superhighway" data link comprises

15 a cable access television line ("CATV")—line.

194. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 179 wherein said "information superhighway" data link comprises a radio frequency ("RF") cellular network.

251. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 242 wherein said <u>feature</u> recognition unit is linked to a personal digital assistant.

- 252. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 242 wherein said <u>feature</u> recognition unit is linked to an Internet appliance.
- 5 253. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 242 wherein said <u>feature</u> recognition unit is linked to a television set.
- 254. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 242

 10 wherein said <u>feature</u> recognition unit is linked to a cellular telephone.
- 255. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 242 wherein said <u>feature</u> recognition unit is linked to a personal digital assistant.
 - 256. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 242 wherein said <u>feature</u> recognition unit comprises a portion of a remote control.

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257. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system as defined in claim 242 wherein said <u>feature</u> recognition unit comprises a portion of a handwriting implement.

258. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A method of providing a user access to programming material, comprising the steps of:

imprinting a machine recognizable feature within a
printed stationary;

scanning said machine recognizable feature of said printed stationary; and

transmitting data associated with said machine recognizable feature via a communication link to access said programming material, wherein said programming material is related to said printed stationary.

260. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 258 wherein said machine recognizable feature is selected from a group consisting of bar code, universal product code, invisible bar code, magnetic code, printed character, symbol, icon, invisible indicia, two-dimensional figure, icon, invisible icon, watermark, invisible watermark, digital watermark, series of alphanumeric characters, binary code, digital watermark, magnetic strip, code, analog pattern, and hieroglyphic character.



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261. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A method of providing a user access to supplemental programming material associated with a printed stationary, comprising the steps of:

imprinting a machine recognizable feature within said
 printed stationary wherein said machine
 recognizable feature has associated therewith a
 command sequence for accessing programming
 material;

scanning said machine recognizable feature within said printed stationary and downloading data indicative of said machine recognizable feature via the Internet to a remote server;

accessing programming material from said remote server; and

transmitting said programming material to said user allowing said user to perceive said programming material in a humanly perceivable form, wherein said program material is related to said printed stationary.

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263. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 263 wherein said machine recognizable feature is selected from a group consisting of bar code, universal product code, invisible bar code, magnetic code, printed character, symbol, icon, invisible indicia, two-dimensional figure, icon, invisible icon, watermark, invisible watermark, digital watermark, series of alphanumeric, characters binary code, digital watermark, magnetic strip, code, analog pattern, and hieroglyphic character.--